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Public input from thousands of Californians has already helped shape the CALFED Bay-Delta solution. However, there are many significant issues that still need to be decided. Please fill out this form and tell us what you think is important when developing an equitable, feasible and durable Bay-Delta solution.

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Please see attached page.

Use additional sheets if necessary.

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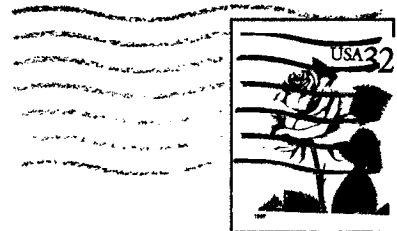
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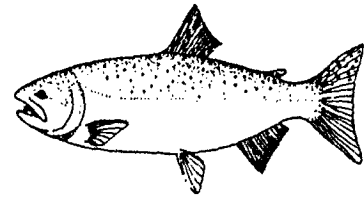
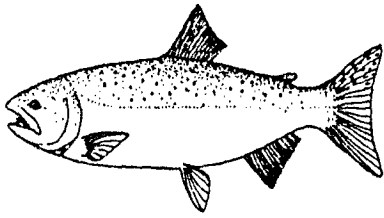
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RED BLUFF FISHERIES FORUM



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COMMENT FROM TEHAMA FLY FISHERS AND THE RED BLUFF FISHERIES FORUM

Alternative #3 of the CALFED Bay Delta Program, which includes an isolated channel to transport water around the East side of the Delta, is the alternative which has the best chance of preserving our Sacramento-SanJoaquin Anadromous fisheries. Of water that flows to the pumping plants in the southwestern delta, the greater the percentage that does so in a well screened closed system, the greater the chances are for a successful fisheries program.

Developing and implementing correct Delta outflows to the ocean are also essential to the maintenance of anadromous species of fishes, since juvenile salmonids move downstream in proportion to flow. A life history model of each specific anadromous fish population should point to the amount of "through flows" West necessary to maintain or even increase the populations.

Ecosystem restoration and maintenance is essential, but if the Delta fishery problems are not solved, improvements in the ecosystem upstream will do little good as far as anadromous fish are concerned. We must correct the discrepancies in both areas if we are to be successful.

Sincerely,

The Red Bluff Fisheries Forum

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